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FIGHTING LIQUOR AT LEILEHUA

POACHERS ARE FREE

Twenty-four hours in jail with costs remitted, was the "punishment" imposed on twentythree Japanese bird-poachers captured by the U. S. Revenue cutter Thetis from Laysan and Lisianski islands, by Judge Robertson this morning in U. S. District Court.

This is equivalent, almost, to discharge.

The twenty-three have been in jail since they were brought here by the Thetis.

In consideration of the fact that

these Japanese are only "instruments," the court was merciful.

However, the United States authorities will hold the men as witnesses against Max Schlemmer or any of the Japanese, at home in Japan, who may be prosecuted for alleged violation of the international law, or otherwise.

The poachers are free and will probably be admitted to bail and allowed the freedom of the city.

W. A. Kinney, defending; U. S. District Attorney Breckons, prosecuting.

STRIKE LEADERS FOR SETTLEMENT

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—Leaders of the labor union federation are today conferring with directors of the rapid transit system, with a view to coming to some agreement in regard to arbitrating the labor wage differences and settling the strike.

\$500,000 TO RAISE MAINE

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—The bill providing for the appropriation by Congress of half a million dollars to defray the expenses of raising the wreck of the U. S. S. Maine in Havana harbor has been favorably reported.

INVESTIGATE STRIKE

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—It has been requested, by both sides, that the U. S. government investigate the strike at the Bethlehem steel works.

IMMIGRATION DEFERRED

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—Legislation on the regulation of immigration has been deferred until next session of Congress to await the report of the special commission.

FIREMEN MEDIATING

CHICAGO, March 15.—The railway firemen have accepted mediation under the Erdman Act, relative to their differences for wages with their employers, as requested by the railroad managements. Twenty-five thousand western railroad firemen are involved.

TAFT ASKS AID OF NEWSPAPERS

(Special Cable to The Star.)

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., March 15.—President Taft has addressed a letter to the convention of editors, urging harmony and their support of administration last week in the railroad commitment have been adopted. A letter has read from Speaker Cannon, defending the tariff and attacking the insurgents.

DAYTONIA, FLA., March 15.—Senator Daniel has suffered a paralytic relapse. His condition is critical.

COLLISION TEST THE POLICE GRIST

This morning in front of police headquarters, the passersby were treated to an exhibition of how two automobiles can run into each other, the demonstration being given to satisfy Judge Andrade as to the way the accident between Quinn and Davis happened on the night of February 21, when Levy's window on Kinz street was demolished. After the test, which involved much backing and going ahead, Judge Andrade stated that he would be unable to give a decision on the matter for a few days.

pill, H. G. Ginaca, J. J. Sullivan, C. B. Hall, Howard W. Adams, James A. Lyle, W. H. Helme.

Only ten cases were on the calendar this morning at the police court and the business was finished in record time. Louisa Perry, who tried to wipe up a part of Walkiki with a friend the other day in a rough and tumble fight, had her case continued until March 23 as her victim is still in the Queen's hospital. Two ordinary tipplers in excess were fined \$3 each, while Harry Warman for the same offense, received a reef lodging ticket good for sixty days. The charge of assault and battery preferred against L. G. Blackman was continued until Saturday next. Chung Kwai, Chang Fook, and Lo Sun, defendants in a libel suit, secured another continuance until March 19.

CANTEEN FOR THE CAVALRY

United States grand jury was again in session this morning. Cavalrymen, there have been blind-pigs running in full blast.

There comes, as a result of this disclosure of the blind pigs, the talk among the officers of the Fifth Cavalry camp in favor of establishing a canteen system, and a canteen will be recommended to the War Department at Washington.

Colonel Schuyler has been one of the most active workers against the blind-pig proposition, having at heart the welfare of the men under his charge.

Anybody identified with the Leilehua blind-pigs will be made to suffer.

SAM JOHNSON WILL TAKE THE RUSSIANS

Sam Johnson, himself a Russian originally, but an American now who is an example for others who want to be Americans, leaves for the island of Hawaii today to return to his responsible duties as manager of the great Hawaiian lumber company which pays particular attention to the export of Koa.

It was thought, at first, that no was here to help out the recent Russian arrivals, but Sam is not worrying about them, for the reason that

they are being pretty well taken care of by the Board of Health. But Sam has already engaged nineteen from Olas, nineteen Russians, and Sam says he will take all the Russians to work for the lumber company who are willing to go over to the Big Island.

Incidentally, Sam will come to Oahu if he is needed in any emergency that may arise with the Russians, he being able to speak the language and probably able to settle any difficulty that may come up.

INTER-ISLAND NEW STEAMER

President Kennedy, of the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company, when asked this morning if it was so that his company was going to build another passenger steamer in the near future, replied:

"We expect to build one but how soon I am unable to say. The Union Iron Works of San Francisco have been asked to draw up a set of blue prints for the new steamer, and they have done so. The plans were received by us some time ago and carefully gone over. Several changes suggested by us have been made, and the plans are at present in the hands of the coast company."

"The new ship will not be as large

as the Mauna Kea, but will be between her and the Kinau in size, which we feel will be plenty large enough for the traffic. As to the contract for building her, nothing definite has been done. Mr. McGregor the manager of the Union Iron Works will no doubt consult with us on the plans for the new ship in a few days, and no doubt something will be done by the directors shortly."

HOW TO SAVE MONEY.

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Say Queen's Deed Is Irrevocable

A. S. Cleghorn, W. O. Smith and C. P. Laukea answer Queen Liliuokalani's move for cancelling her trust deed today.

These trustees file lengthy statements to the effect that the Queen knew what she was doing, that she was not unduly influenced, and claiming that she cannot now break the trust.

A. S. Humphreys appeared in the case as an advisor. It is claimed that the deed was not made solely on the advice of Laukea, the Queen's one-time trusted representative. It appears in the answer that Humphreys helped explain.

The answer is a general denial of

all points which go to make the deed irrevocable.

It is claimed that Liliuokalani knew that the deed was intended to be irrevocable.

3 YEARS FOR PIMP

Totaro Narahara, immoral-slave dealer, was this morning, in U. S. court sentenced to serve three years in jail, by Judge Robertson.

He made his living by loafing and "owning" a Japanese woman.

He might have received a sentence of five years.

The United States local authorities are going after these cases.

Future convicts are likely to get the limit.

RUSSIAN ARRESTED

Because he trespassed on the property of the United States, to wit, certain portions of quarantine island to which he had no right, one Solonsky, a recently arrived Russian, is under Federal arrest.

Solonsky is inclined to be a nuisance and his chief endeavor is alleged to be stirring his fellows to dissatisfaction. He "got fresh" and the law drew him in where he may be disciplined.

WATSON WANTS MILK ALIBI

Pablos Rios is on trial today defended milk from the American Broker-allegedly stealing several cans of condensed milk from Judge Whitney and a jury for erage Co.

City Attorney Cathcart prosecutes, and the Democratic lawyer, E. M. Watson is defending, intending to prove that Pablos got his condensed milk elsewhere and paid for it.

The jury is made up of the following gentlemen: Robert K. Brown, R. K. Pahau, H. B. Myhre, C. W. Zeigler, J. L. P. Robinson, David K. Hoo-



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